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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This amendment and response is filed in response to the Office Action mailed September 8, 2004 and is accompanied by a request and fee for a two-month extension of time, which resets the deadline for response to February 8, 2005, and the fee for additional claims.

No other fee is believed to be due in connection with this response. Please charge any fee that is due, and credit any overpayment, to deposit account no. 50-0573.

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